

If this is put into effect it will just hurt the industry instead of help the copyrighters out. It will make the people that already bought HDTV equipment think again about buying new equipment because of theirs being phased out(not being able to work with the protected system). I for one wont go out and buy new equipment everytime somebody breaks your encryption scheme! Every body knows that it will be broken within a couple of weeks when released. This is not a fair consideration for the people that have bought equipment already and once again IT WILL MAKE THE CONSUMER NOT WANT TO BUY HDTV PRODUCTS AGAIN BECAUSE OF THEIR EQUIPMENT BEING PHASED OUT(NOT WORKING WITH THIS ENCRYPTION SCHEME)!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!